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## Crossfield Holds Splendid Sports' Day

To the skirl of the Bagpipes, played by William and Charles Russell, the parade of gaily decorated tricycles, and bicycles, clowns and school units, headed by the Fire Department paraded to the Fair grounds last Thursday for the annual sports' day. The day was almost perfect until late afternoon when a brisk wind came up and, to some extent, put a handicap on the balance of the day. The attendance was good, but not on a par with some former celebrations. A splendid program had been arranged by the sports' committee of the Board of Trade under the chairmanship of H. Ballam, consisting of baseball and athletic events, which kept the crowd on their toes throughout the day. The Chris Kenny shows were very popular with both young and old, an added attraction this year.

In the boys' bicycle half-mile race, 15 years and under, Don Stevens and his brother Jim carried off the prizes. Bicycle race, 10 yrs and under, 1st, B. Patmore; 2nd, Gordon Wood; 3rd, Murray Hurt. In the Boys' relay race, Carstairs carried off honors with Crossfield second. Mervin Lind won the sack and obstacle races for boys 14 and under.

For the best appearing school units on parade, Floral, first; Crossfield, second; Lowerlea, third. Prize for best decorated tricycle went to Ray Millard; second, Barry Jones; third, Glendennis Nichol. Best decorated bicycle: first, Allan Sharp second, Murray Hurt; third, L. McCool. Special prizes: Devins, bicycles, Nyal and Beverly Ann Tweedle.

Carstairs was victorious in the baseball tournament, 16 years and under, winning from Crossfield and Summit Hill; also winning in the softball section. Crossfield won the open baseball event. Ladies' softball, Garfield won from Crossfield.

A dance at night ended the day's activities and drew a large crowd.

## Mrs. S. R. Hunt Honored At Tea.

Complimentary to Mrs. S. R. Hunt who is leaving shortly to make her home in Strathmore, the Ladies Aid entertained at a tea in the Church parlor this (Thursday) afternoon. About fifty ladies attended.

A short musical program was enjoyed during the afternoon, Mrs. P. H. Fleming singing "I Love You Truly", an accordion solo by Walter Lilley, and a duet, "Just A Weavin' For You", by Pullan and Mrs. Ballam.

The guest of honor, was a true recipient of a box of preserves, jam and pickles, Mrs. C. Fox making the presentation for the ladies of the village and district. Mrs. E. Fox presented Mrs. Hunt with a clock from the Ladies Aid. Mrs. Hunt replied to both presentations, thanking the ladies graciously.

Mrs. Whillans and Mrs. Purvis presided over the tea table which was daintily appointed with a lace cloth and centred with a bouquet of lilacs.

## They Want to Be "Parashooters"



Recruiting in Britain for local defence volunteers has proceeded so rapidly during the last week that nearly 300,000 men otherwise unoccupied, between 17 and 65 years of age, have rallied to the call for "home front" service. Above is shown a typical group applying for registration at one of the London offices. These men will be used as sharpshooters against enemy invaders seeking to land in paratroops and will also assist the regular troops at strategic points and industrial centres.

## Carstairs Will Raise Emergency Fund

A meeting of citizens of Carstairs and district was held Monday evening last, in Carstairs, to organize themselves into what will be known as the "Carstairs and District Emergency Committee." They set up a strong committee with collectors in the town and district to immediately canvass for funds to supply an ambulance, or any other emergency they feel should have their assistance.

Those attending were very enthusiastic with the plan, and, from figures available at the meeting, around \$700.00 was practically assured before any canvass was made. This is a splendid move on the part of the citizens who show a fine spirit in their efforts to do their part in helping to win the war.

A delegation from the Crossfield and District Board of Trade was invited to participate in the meeting but unfortunately, only two from here represented Crossfield and could not give any definite assurance of the support of this district.

## Church Board Had Successful Tea

The Board of the United Church proved themselves capable hosts on Saturday last when they erected a booth by the post office and staged a successful Strawberry Tea, the net sum of \$29. being added to their funds. The Church board expresses their appreciation to Mr. Treadway for the use of his lot and to all others who helped in any way to make the tea a success.

## Canadian Red Cross Society

The local branch of the Canadian Red Cross made another shipment of work to the Calgary Division this week, consisting of:

- 1 pr. wool blankets
  - 47 articles of clothing for Refugee relief
  - 6 Soldier's awatears
  - 2 Scarves
  - 12 pair Socks (soldiers)
- The executive wish to thank the Women's Guild for their generous donation of refugee articles.

## HOME GUARD PROGRESSING

Word has been received by the secretary of the local branch of the Canadian Legion B.E.S.L. that definite action may be expected shortly on the formation of Voluntary Home Defence Units. The Department of National Defence is working on plans for these and it is expected that authority to form such units will be given almost at once. In the meantime, ex-servicemen and others of the district wishing to become members of the Crossfield unit, when formed, can register with Comrade R.D. Sutherland at the Rosebud M.D. office.

## Buy War Savings Certificates

## LOCALS

Miss Shirley Ward of Arrowwood, is visiting Dorothy Hesketh.

Mrs. Vera Brown is spending a holiday with friends at Arrowwood.

Mrs. Pogue and Stanley, of Turner Valley, were visitors in town for the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Marston of Calgary were Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. Belshaw.

Mr. Mullan, Provincial Sanitary Inspector, was in town Tuesday on official business.

Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Mair and Kathleen and the Metherrals were visitors at Banff on Sunday.

Mr. C. H. McMillan and Clarke are spending a few days holidaying in Calgary this week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Dawson returned Sunday from a two-weeks holiday at northern points.

Ballam's Store has been undergoing alterations, giving considerably more room and adding to its convenience and appearance.

The local Y.P.U. softball team, who have not lost a game this season, won from Bowden 27-3 in a soft ball game in Bowden last Tuesday.

A. Baker, of the local Bank of Commerce staff, has been transferred to Rockyford, Alta. He will leave for this branch in the early part of July.

On Sunday last, a High School baseball team motored to Bowden where they won 12-6 in 7 innings. E. Hopper and M. Dippel pitched for Crossfield.

The many friends of Mrs. T. Fitzgerald will be pleased to hear that she is recovering slowly from a serious illness in the Calgary General Hospital, where she has been confined for some time.

## Dog Pound Doings

Mrs. J. C. Jack was a Calgary visitor on Saturday.

Mrs. Lambert of Abbotsford, B.C., is visiting her daughter, Mrs. E. R. Banta.

Mrs. H. Hoffman returned home last week, after having attended the O.E.S. Convention in Lethbridge.

There is to be a vaudeville show and dance in the Dog Pound hall on Tuesday June 25.

The Dog Pound Garfield baseball game was played at Garfield on Sunday, the score being 13-6 for our local team.

Mrs. M. Lowry and Velma Lowry of Dundas, Ontario, are visiting at the home of the former's brother, Mr. R. J. Williamson.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Brown and family of Calgary are living in the Clem Cullin's residence. Mr. Brown will do his trucking business from Dog Pound now.

A number of children in the district are attending the music school in the Dog Pound Hall and it is reported that satisfactory progress is being made.

The local branch of the Red Cross sponsored a very successful strawberry ice cream festival in the Dog Pound Community Hall on Friday, June 14th. Tea and lunch was served with the strawberries and ice cream. Lunch was served from 4:30 to 7:30 o'clock. Mrs. M. L. Bagnall, with the help of her students of the Dog Pound school, put on a short program, which was very good.

Eleven members of the Ladies Aid motored to Didsbury last Thursday to attend the W. A. Convention.

## LOCALS

Building of the new Atlas Lumber sheds is making good head way.

All German and Italian aliens, whether naturalized since 1929, or unaturalized, are ordered to report immediately to the nearest R.C.M.P. detachment and bring all firearms in their possession.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Urquhart have as their guests this week, Mr. and Mrs. Hudson, who are on holiday during Mr. Hudson's leave from the Air Force. Mrs. Hudson was formerly Miss Margaret Urquhart, neice of Wm. Urquhart.

Examinations are underway at the local school. Grades 10 and 11, who are passed on recommendation, finished their term on Tuesday.

There will be some changes in the school staff next year, as Mrs. Emery and Miss Burwash have tendered their resignations.

Bills' Service and Auto Court is receiving its final coat of white stucco and grounds levelled off and gravelled. The cabins are nearing completion and are fully modern, smart and convenient, as attractive as can be found in the large tourist camps.

Mr. C. Calhoun has received news of the death of his brother, Joseph Calhoun of East Coulee, in the Drumheller hospital today, June 20. The news came as quite a shock to Mr. Calhoun, who had not heard of his illness.

Joseph Calhoun was born in Ontario and would have been 61 years of age on June 21. He came West to Manitoba in 1903, moving to Alberta in 1907. He was a carpenter by trade and will be remembered by many locally as he helped to build the U.F.A. store here.

He leaves to mourn his passing, three brothers and three sisters, his parents, one brother, and one sister having predeceased him.

# THE CROSSFIELD CHRONICLE

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Thursday June 20th, 1940

It is remarkable the spirit Canadians are showing in their rally to support The Mother Country, "England". There will "always be an England", and every Hamlet, Town and City are giving freely to the Red Cross and auxiliary organizations according to their means in this time of strife.

Carstairs, our neighbor town on the north, organized the other evening, and before the meeting was over almost \$700.00 was practically assured for the purchase of an ambulance, or any other urgent need of support. This is the spirit that wins wars, and every citizen must put their shoulder to the wheel so that a victory may be assured.

Crossfield has not as yet made any attempt to raise an emergency fund. A meeting should be considered at an early date to organize a special emergency committee.

If small towns are to hold their own in the modern scene, they must recognize the changes which have taken place in the last quarter of a century. They are no longer monarchs of all they survey automatically drawing business from the surrounding areas, because the people have nowhere else to go. Before the days of the motor car, a town flourished by virtue of the population around it. The surrounding countryside patronized the nearest shopping centre, and no great effort was required to draw business. The only serious outside competitor was The Mail Order Store. There was thus assured to every town a certain trade which could be depended upon with unwavering faithfulness. This trade might be divided amongst the different business houses according to value received. But it all came to the town.

Nowadays, however, with the universal use of motor cars and the open highways, conditions are entirely different. Consideration of distance are almost non-existent and this brings the small town merchant into formidable competition with the large business houses of the city. It also brings small towns into competition with each other. No one town has any hard and fast trading area. It may draw for miles beyond its old limits, or it may lose to nearby towns according to the service provided.

## Their "Home Away From Home"



In houses newly built in a township in the northwest of England, civilian aliens have been placed to forestall "Fifth Column" and "Trojan Horse" activities. Here the males are shown waiting to receive blankets. They're free to move about inside the "district" but the place is surrounded by fences and patrolled by armed guards. In the House of Commons yesterday the Home Secretary was questioned as to why interned alien women receive better living facilities than wives of British soldiers. The situation was said to arise from use of peacetime holiday resorts for internment camps.

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A small store may be made attractive as a large one. But all this requires greatly increased effort, and more planning. Prices are an important factor which can bring business to any center no matter how small.

Although there is no reason why a small town should decline under modern competition, it undoubtedly has to hustle as it never had to do in the old days. It must present reasons why it deserves patronage. It must advertise its attractions and its businesses reach the buying public from all possible angles.

Prices and general service being equal, it should also foster a welcoming spirit, provide conveniences, and capitalize on any natural advantage which it may have.

The old order is changing rapidly, not only in individual living, but in every phase of business life.

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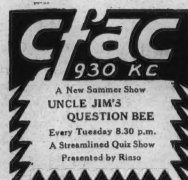
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## PROVINCIAL

## AGRICULTURAL REPORT

For period ending June 10, 1940

GENERAL.—Crop conditions in all districts of Alberta are good, with the outlook promising. In the south eastern area of the province and in a small part of the Peace River district good general rains would be beneficial, but crops are not suffering. Many districts describe growing conditions as ideal.

Showery weather has occurred throughout the province during the past two weeks, with rainfall varying from a fraction of an inch to nearly three inches in the St. Paul area where it was urgently required.

Growth of crops is strong and vigorous. In many districts despite the lateness of seeding, wheat has almost reached normal development for the season.

Seeding is completed except for the sowing of grain for greenfeed. Pastures and forage crops are satisfactory.

Slight damage from grasshoppers and cutworms is reported from the south east corner and the Grande Prairie districts respectively.

Conditions of live stock is good, with much improvement noted. Dairy production is mounting as pastures continue to advance. Poultry and beekeeping in normal

## The World of Wheat

By H. G. L. Strange

Numbers of farmers have this spring sown small plots of some of the new varieties of wheat. Some farmers are wondering, however, how to make the best use of these plots.

The most important thing of all to guard against is the presence in the plots of plants of other kinds and varieties.

Professional seed growers take extraordinary precautions to prevent such mixtures taking place, knowing that once grain is mixed there is very little that can be done to purify it.

One good method is to surround each plot with a clear space, several feet wide, of bare land, and to keep this space free from grain or tall weeds. Then as soon as the new variety heads out, the plots should be gone over carefully, and undesirable plants such as bad weeds and other varieties of grain should be pulled up by the roots, carried to the end of the field, dried and burned.

Special precautions, too, will have to be taken in harvesting and in threshing these plots, and in later articles this column will tell of the practices usually adopted by the best seed growers to ensure a crop of seed as free as possible from harmful admixtures.

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### Household Hints

Strawberry season is here again and carloads of this glorious fruit are now rolling to the prairie markets.

While strawberry shortcake is perhaps the most luscious dessert to attract the whole family, there are other ways of preparing attractive strawberry desserts.

#### Strawberry Cream Pie

3 eggs separated, 23 cup sugar, 4 level tablespoons cornstarch, 1 1/2 teaspoon salt, 2 cups scalded milk, teaspoon vanilla, 2 tablespoons butter, 1 cup slightly sweetened sliced strawberries.

Beat egg yolks until light and fluffy. Mix dry ingredients and add to egg yolks, beating well. Add scalded milk and cook over boiling water, stirring until thickened. Remove from heat and cool slightly, then add butter and vanilla. Cool well and just before adding berries, give a good beating; then fold in strawberries. Fill baked pie shell with mixture and top with a meringue made with the egg whites and 9 level tablespoons sugar. Brown in moderately hot oven.

### First to Enroll



Miss D. Hastoul

First nurse in the Montreal military district to be enrolled for service since the outbreak of the war is Miss Denise Hastoul, who formerly lived on Grovenor avenue, Westmount, and now is a member of the Military Nursing Sisters Service at St. John's Hospital, St. John's, P.Q. Miss Hastoul was the representative of the service at the Cenotaph when wreaths were laid in memory of the fallen of the last war by the Canadian Legion, the American Legion and the women's auxiliaries of the Canadian Legion. She is a graduate of Notre Dame Hospital, Montreal, and a Registered Nurse of the Province of Quebec.

### Household Hints

#### Strawberry Jelly Salad

Cut very fine large berries into halves and line small moulds with them. Make plain orange jelly and fill moulds. Turn out on lettuce with a mayonnaise made up with whipped cream.

#### Strawberry Whip

Beat 1 1/4 cups strawberries, the white of one egg and 1 cup powdered sugar till stiff enough to hold its shape: about 30 minutes will be required. Pile lightly on dish and serve with boiled custard.

#### Lemon Hard Sauce

1-3 cup softened butter  
2 1/2 cups powdered sugar  
1 egg yolk  
3 tablespoons lemon juice  
Cream together well. Fold in thoroughly: 1 egg white stiffly beaten. This makes a delicious cake icing also.

Clean paint brushes used for enameling with turpentine. When shellac has been used, clean with denatured alcohol.

Fresh strawberries will keep better if they are placed in a covered fruit jar and set in the refrigerator. Baked custards should be tested with a knife. When the knife comes out of the centre of custard clean, then it is done.

To prevent cheese from becoming stringy when making Welsh rabbit melt it in the sauce after removing the pan from the fire.

Any flaked ready-to-serve cereal may be used instead of bread crumbs in a recipe that calls for bread crumbs. Crush the cereal before using.

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|-----------|--------------------|
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| 2nd "     | J. Larson          |
| 3rd "     | Mrs. P. H. Fleming |
| 4th "     | H. A. Bannister    |
| 5th "     | N. Tweedie         |
| 6th "     | F. Heywood         |
| 7th "     | A. Stevens         |
| 8th "     | R. J. Caan         |
| 9th "     | L. Johnson         |
| 10th "    | George Lim         |
| 11th "    | Dorothy Hesketh    |
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| 14th "    | A. Marshall        |
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| 16th "    | L. Spivey          |
| 17th "    | R. Waterhouse      |
| 18th "    | C. Purvis          |
| 19th "    | P. H. Fleming      |
| 20th "    | H. Thon            |
| 21st "    | W. Wood            |
| 22nd "    | T. Arnott          |

### TRANSPORTATION.

#### Train Schedule

##### SOUTH

Every day except Sunday  
522..... 5:21 a.m.  
524..... 12:21 p.m.  
526..... 5:35 p.m.

##### Sunday

522..... 5:21 a.m.  
528..... 2:10 p.m.

##### NORTH

521..... 12:42 a.m.  
523..... 10:07 a.m.  
525..... 5:53 p.m.

##### SUNDAY

521..... 12:42 a.m.  
527..... 6:01 p.m.

#### Bus Schedule

##### NORTH

7:51 a.m. 2:21 p.m. 6:21 p.m.

##### SOUTH

5:07 a.m. 12:13 p.m. 8:13 p.m.

## Calgary Stampede Bigger and Better Than Ever.

A MOST INTERESTING and thrilling presentation of western sports, coupled with a splendid display of Alberta resources, will take place at the 5th annual Calgary Exhibition and Stampede to be held July 8 to 13.

The events of the week include a representative display of agricultural implements and high quality livestock, industrial, art, photographic and domestic exhibits, dog and poultry shows. The Live Stock Review, a parade of livestock exhibits, will be staged on Friday morning. This feature annually attracts large crowds.

North American and Canadian championship titles are awarded for bucking horse riding, calf roping, steer decorating, wild steer and wild horse riding, wild cow milking, Indian races, and the famous chuck wagon race, running horse races are to be held daily.

"Flying Colors," a gorgeous stage review, will be presented each evening in front of the grandstand following the chuck wagon race. The Indian Camp on the exhibition grounds is a great source of interest to visitors. On Friday night a dance will be given at the Cowboy Ball on Ninth avenue.

An outstanding feature of the Calgary Stampede is Canada's largest and most spectacular fireworks display, on Monday and Saturday nights. Included in Saturday night's programme is a display of gorgeously dressed Indians.

The management announces that this is the first year it has been able to invite tourists to come to Calgary with the assurance that they will thoroughly enjoy the motor trip. From Banff, Chief Mountain to Waterton Lakes, Pincher Creek, Macleod and Calgary; from Spokane to Cranbrook and then via the Banff-Windermere Highway to Banff and Calgary, or via Macleod from Cranbrook, the highways are all paved except short stretches between Cranbrook and Pincher Creek. The highways from Calgary to Edmonton and from Calgary to Banff are all paved, and the highways in the mountains, Banff to Lake Louise, Yoho, Moraine Lake, Emerald Lake, are beautiful roads to drive on. The Banff-Jasper highway is to be opened July 1st, and provides additional attraction for tourists who wish to take advantage of this 140-mile drive of unexcelled scenic beauty. The Big Bend highway to be opened June 29th, completes the remaining 194 miles of the Trans-Canada highway between Calgary and Vancouver on the Pacific coast, a wonderful drive to be enjoyed for the first time in 1940.

Indications are that a large number of United States tourists will come to the Stampede and at the same time pay a visit to Canada's famous holiday grounds, thus having a worthwhile visit and at the same time taking advantage of the favorable exchange rates.

This will be the last Stampede under the management of Mr. E. L. Richardson, who after many successful years as general manager, is to retire shortly.

J. Chas. Yule, the present President of the Calgary Exhibition and Stampede, has been appointed General Manager to succeed Mr. Richardson. Mr. Yule will take over his new duties next term.

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### Turks Meet Canucks



War's latest devices now being used by Canadians at their training camp in England went on display recently when important members of Turkey's Parliament and Press visited the troops. After seeing the Canadians go through certain manoeuvres and viewing their equipment the Turkish delegation roundly lauded the Dominion's troops. The Turks (in civilian dress) shown here are, from left to right, Bay Sakib Engineer, Bay Muvaffak Memeneciloglu and Bay Ruysin Cahit Yalcin.

There was a guy who thought a house-to-house canvass was an awning between two buildings.

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### FARM AND HOME WEEK

OLDS SCHOOL OF AGRICULTURE, June 24 - 28, 1940

Daily Sessions at 10.00 a.m. Picnic Lunch at 12 noon.

SPECIAL FEATURES—Hon. D. B. Mullen, Minister of Agriculture, speaks at Wednesday picnic supper commencing at 6 p.m. W. Peterson, Editor, The Farm and Ranch Review, speaks Thursday evening at 8 p.m.

LECTURES DEMONSTRATIONS DISCUSSIONS  
Led by Prof. J. W. G. MacEwan, University of Saskatchewan; Prof. Sackville, Dr. Sinclair, Fryer, University of Alberta; F. M. Baker, Winnipeg; S. H. Shannon, Cloverdale, B.C. Everyone is welcome.

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Publication of a new travel booklet to augment the pictorial issue made this year by the Provincial Government Travel Bureau was announced this week. Titled "Facts About Alberta", the booklet is issued for the convenience and guidance of visiting tourists. It contains information regarding routes, sights, accommodation, fishing regulations and historical sketches which aim to make the visitor familiar with the Albertan environment and ensure a favorable reaction to Alberta as a holiday land. One section is devoted to Dinosaur Park, which promises to become a major calling spot among visitors.

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In a recent message to Canadian National Railways officers and employers, President S. J. Hungerford declared there is "a front line in Canada no less than in Europe." The work of civilians combined with the gallantry of our soldiers will yet bring victory, said Mr. Hungerford, but "our co-operation must be instant, continuous and complete." He declared that requirements of the Allied armies demand that "industry produce at utmost capacity."

Recruits for the new South Alberta Regiment continue to arrive by every train in Edmonton. Perpetuating the famed 31st battalion, the new unit is under the command of Major J. H. Carosso, M.C. and bar. The Calgary Regiment, 15th Alberta Light Horse, Edmonton Fusiliers and 19th Alberta

## RADIO PINIONS

AND NEWS by John N. Hunt  
PUBLICITY DEPARTMENT CFAC

**A NEW SUMMER SHOW**  
"Uncle Jim's Question Bee" — a question bee in 1940 streamlined style, makes its bow to the nation's radio listeners over the Columbia (CFAC, Tuesday, June 18, rebroadcast at 8:30 p.m.). Bill Slater presides at the microphone. Contesters picked from the CBS studio audience have an opportunity to pick the type of questions they want to answer. Prizes range in value — the big ones for the right answers to the toughest questions. In each group a bonus is given for perfect scores and the high-point winner gets another bonus. Carleton Young is announcer for the bee.

**ROCKY MOUNTAIN MELODY**  
From the heights of the Canadian Rockies each Sunday night, the CBC brings a program of smart music, styled in the manner of Mart Kenna, the Vancouver maestro. This program will be heard over CFAC each Sunday at 8:30 p.m. Be sure to begin your week in the finest musical style by listening to Mart Kenna and his Western Gentlemen each Sunday evening.

Each Saturday night the CBC brings to its friends the old time music period from 9:00 to 10:00 p.m. This feature originates in Winnipeg and is a real hour of fun on CFAC.

Don't forget the broadcast of "With the Troops" at 10:30 p.m. each Monday evening. It is a transcribed feature of the overseas division of the CBC. Keep in touch with the boys in England by tuning to CFAC at 10:30 p.m. on Monday.

Dragoons joins with the South Alberta regiment to make up this composite body of Alberta's best and fittest. They will be mobilized as a rifle battalion of the fourth division.

### Always Came Together

The teacher was giving the evacuee children in England a lesson on the association of various forms of life with common substances.

"For example," she explained, "you will always find birds where there are trees, plants where there is soil, and so on. Now can anyone tell me what we associate with fish?"

A hand shot up. "Well," queried the teacher, "Chips" was Tommy's reply.

## Church Announcements

### UNITED CHURCH OF CANADA

Rev. Stanley R. Hunt, B.A., B.D., Minister

"Lord, thou hast been our dwelling place in all generations." Psalm 90:1.  
Sunday June 23rd

11:00 a.m. — Sunday School  
7:30 p.m. — Evening Worship  
3:00 p.m. — Service, Madden.  
Mr. Hunt will conduct his final Madden service.  
Rev. H. V. Ellison will have charge of the service for July 7th.

### CHURCH OF THE ASCENSION

(Anglican)

Rev. A. D. Currie, Rector  
Services for June.

June 16, 7:30 p.m. Evensong.  
June 23, 8:00 a.m. Holy Communion  
June 26, 9:30 a.m. Holy Communion  
June 30, 7:30 p.m. Evensong.

Sunday School every Sunday at 10:00 a.m.

Sunday School will close for the summer months on June 23rd.

J. W. A. meets every Monday after school, at the Rectory.

### REGULAR BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. J. H. Pickford, B.Th., Pastor

Morning Service, 11:00 a.m.  
Sunday School, 12 noon  
Evening Service, 7:30 o'clock

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## Edlund's Drug Store

PHONE 3  
THE REXALL STORE

This has been a dark week for free men the world over.

The forces of black enslavement have pushed back the frontiers of liberty with paralyzing blows unparalleled in all the bitter history of warfare. Today free men everywhere ask themselves if their way of life is about to end; if their long held right to think, breathe, live freely, is to be crushed by a soul-less machine. The blood of our fighting men, the tears of their widows, have cleansed the issue beyond all doubt; this is the life and death struggle of darkness against light. It is our solemn duty and our glorious privilege to proclaim to the ages that might shall not triumph over right. Though the way ahead may be long, fear-wrecked and terribly hard, we shall not walk alone. The knowledge that the things for which we struggle are good, clean and decent draws us very near to the ultimate power. Over the clamorous centuries of man-made strife we hearken to the Divine wisdom of "I have seen the wicked in great power, and spreading himself like a green bay tree." Yet he passed away and, lo, he was not; yes, I saw him, but he could not be found." — Stark.

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Crossfield every Saturday at  
T. Tredaway Office Phone 33

### VILLAGE

#### COUNCIL MEETINGS

The council of the village of Crossfield will meet in the Fire Hall on the first Monday of each month at the hour of 8 o'clock a.m.  
By Order of the Village Council  
T. Tredaway, Sec.-Treas.

### TINSMITHING

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## Classified Ads

LOST — In the vicinity of Crossfield, a wheel and tire for model A Ford. Finder kindly leave at Chronicle office. 30-1-P

FOR SALE — Wheel-type garden weeder, \$2.50. Special reduction for this month. Call at Sharp's Blacksmith Shop, Crossfield. 30-1-P

FOR SALE — Nash Sedan, 1929 Model. In fine condition inside and out. Fair rubber. Front seat convertible into bed. Bargain for cash. For particulars, call at the Chronicle Office. 29 tf

FOR SALE — Milk Cow, to freshen in July. Apply to George Lind, Crossfield 29 tf c

Circle No. 1 of the United Church Ladies' Aid wish to announce that they will take orders for Home Cooking, Catering, or picnic lunches.

Angel or Sponge cakes	50c
Chocolate Cake	50c
Date loaf	35c
Fancy Cookies doz. 10c & 15c	
Buns & Biscuits, doz.	20c
Bread	15c
Pies	25c 30c & 35c
(according to filling)	

For further particulars see Mrs. J. P. Methers or Mrs. C. A. Marshall.

## Lloyd McCrimmon

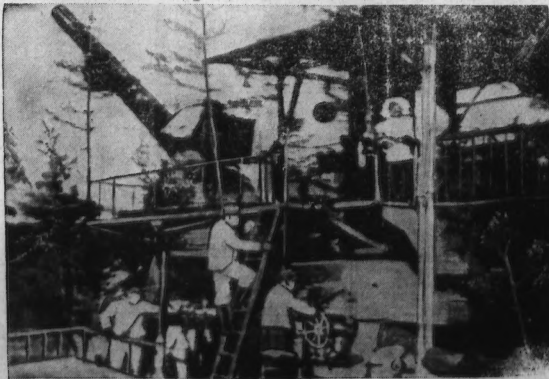
### Injured

Severely cut about the face and shoulders, Lloyd McCrimmon, 14-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. McCrimmon, was rushed to a Calgary hospital the early part of the week. The team he was driving ran away, throwing him into the barbed wire fence.

While the Government fully appreciates free will money contributions by Canadian citizens. It is preferable not to earmark the gift for a particular piece of equipment. The donors should permit their contributions to be added to the consolidated revenue fund.

## Classified Ads Pay!

## Gun Germans Say Can Shell London



Germans claim this giant gun can pump 661-pound shells through stratosphere into London. Evolved from the 8.8-inch "Big Bertha," which in the first Great War shelled Paris from 75 miles away, the new super-gun has an 11.02-inch bore. It is 118 feet long, has range of 155 miles. Fired at a 70-degree angle, the shell is expected to travel 124 miles before slowing down to point where gravity pulls it straight down.